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E.O.: 11652: GDS

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SUBJ: LOS: CONSULTATIONS ON COMMITTEE I (DEEP SEABED) ISSUES

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1. AS RATINER AWARE, ENGO CURRENTLY ON VACATION SINCE EARLY AUGUST, BUT SO FAR HAS BEEN MAINLY IN YAOUNDE AND WORKING INTERMITTENTLY. DCM SUCCEEDED CONTACTING HIM AUGUST 27 TO ARRANGE RATINER/ESKIN VISIT AS OUTLINED REFTEL. ENGO INDICATED TIMING NOT RPT NOT FEASIBLE SINCE HE PLANNING BE AWAY FROM YAOUNDE AUGUST 29 THRU SEPTEMBER 7. SUGGESTED AS ALTERNATIVE THAT VISIT BEGIN SEPTEMBER 8 OR ANY TIME THAT WEEK, OR EVEN FOLLOWING WEEK. THOUGHT THREE DAYS COULD BE MINIMUM FOR VISIT, WILLING DEVOTE AS MUCH TIME AS RATINER WISHES. ENVISAGED HE WOULD SPEND FIRST
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TWO DAYS "LISTENING" TO RATINER.

2. ENGO MENTIONED TO DCM ON FYI BASIS ONLY THAT "IF ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY" AND IT A "DO OR DIE" CHOICE HE COULD RETURN TO YAOUNDE FOR PERHAPS TWO DAYS WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 1, BUT THIS WOULD BE AT GREAT PERSONAL INCONVENIENCE AND DISRUPTION SERIOUS PERSONAL BUSINESS HE NEEDS CONDUCT DURING VACATION TIME IN HIS HOME REGION.

3. WE AGREED URGENTLY COMMUNICATE ENGO'S RESPONSE TO RATINER AND SOLICIT REPLY BY IMMEDIATE CABLE IN ORDER INFORM ENGO BY COB AUGUST 28.
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